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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director for Science and Technology

SUBJECT: Continuing Developments in IRAC Working Group

Carl:

1. I greatly appreciate your previous comments on the issues being considered by the IRAC Working Group.

25X1A 2. As might be expected, the Working Group found that many of the issues being considered were already under study. Hence an early requirement is to inventory these ongoing studies. For your information, I attach [] draft memo establishing such an inventory.

25X1A 3. In addition to the studies that will be monitored by the IRAC Working Group, an additional group of studies will be run through [] Product Review Program. In some cases, he will request support from the Directorates. In those cases where your Directorate supplies a study or an input to a study in the Product Review Program, I would appreciate an information copy. In this way I can keep up with who is doing what and with the resultant findings.

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CIA Member
IRAC Working Group

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Members, IRAC Working Group

SUBJECT : Establishment of a Resource Issues
Study Inventory

1. A current inventory of studies of resource issues planned, under way or completed by elements of the Intelligence Community will be established in support of the Intelligence Resources Advisory Committee. This inventory will be formulated and maintained by the IRAC Working Group.
2. The Inventory should include the information shown on the attachment for each such study which, in the opinion of members of the IRAC Working Group, could assist IRAC in the review of national intelligence program requirements and resource levels or by providing authoritative judgments on the operations of resource systems and projects.
3. It is particularly important that studies contemplated or in progress in the intelligence agencies be included in the Study Inventory. These may become "building blocks" for a

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subsequent IRAC study or may indicate to IRAC that a particular question, resource or problem is or has been already examined and that IRAC may need merely to note that report.

4. Several planned or ongoing studies have already been mentioned to the Working Group; these may assist later proposed IRAC studies or may make them unnecessary. These studies, relating to the proposed IRAC studies, need definition according to the outline attached. Such studies deal with:

- a. Imagery User Requirements (DCI Staff)
- b. Community Computer-Based Information Exchange Systems (DCI Staff)
- c. (ASD/I)
- d. Peripheral/Tactical Air Reconnaissance (ASD/I)
- e. HUMINT Collection (ASD/I)
- f. Production Capabilities/Resources (DCI Staff)

Chairman
IRAC Working Group

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Attachment

INVENTORY OUTLINE

1. TITLE OF STUDY
2. AUTHORIZATION
(Who requested and/or authorized the study)
3. PURPOSE/OBJECTIVES OF STUDY
(Including brief description of the terms of reference for the study)
4. STUDY GROUP COMPOSITION (Sponsorship, chairman, members of the study group)
5. ELEMENTS INVOLVED
(Identification of the organizations to be reviewed or contacted in the course of the study)
6. STATUS OF STUDY
(Brief description of progress to date)
7. COMPLETION DATE
(Target date for completion of study or, if completed, the date of completion)
8. INTENDED RECIPIENTS
(Who is primary recipient? What others will receive the study?)

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